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DISTR. 13 JULY 1964

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FIELD REPORT NO.

1. AS OF 1830 HOURS LOCAL TIME ON 13 JULY 1964, THE NEGOTIATIONS FOR A NEW CENTER LEFT GOVERNMENT HAD REACHED AN IMPASSE. THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC (DC) PARTY AND THE ITALIAN SOCIALIST PARTY (PSI) ARE UNABLE TO AGREE ON ECONOMIC PLANNING, CITY PLANNING, AND SCHOOL ISSUES. ALDO MORO DOES NOT EXPECT THE DIFFICULTIES TO BE RESOLVED DURING THE PLENARY SESSION OF NEGOTIATORS SCHEDULED FOR THE MORNING OF 14 JULY AND MORO IS ALMOST CERTAINLY GOING TO GIVE UP THE MANDATE.

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